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Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 2872

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Yasushi OGIHARA	)	Confirmation No.: 8198
	)	
Application No.: 10/625,545	)	Group Art Unit: 2872
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Filed: July 24, 2003	)	Examiner: A. Amari
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For: MICROSCOPE SYSTEM	)	

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The Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 5, 2006, (Paper No. 02282006), and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, the period of response to which extends through June 6, 2006, entry of the following Amendment is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal.